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David Barbagallo
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RE: **EM-AT&T-110-160128** – AT&T Mobility, LLC notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 10 Sparks Street, Plainville, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Barbagallo:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on January 28, 2016.

According to Section 16-50j-71 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "...any modification, as defined in Section 16-50j-2a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, to an existing tower site, except as specified in Sections 16-50j-72 and 16-50j-88 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, may have a substantial adverse environmental effect."

According to Section 16-50j-72(b)(2)(F) of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, changes to an existing site shall not constitute a modification that may have a substantial adverse environmental effect provided such changes do not, among other requirements, "impair the structural integrity of the facility, as determined in a certification provided by a professional engineer licensed in Connecticut."

The structural analysis included with the filing consists only of the cover page, making it unclear whether the proposed changes have been accounted for in the professional engineer's certification. Please submit the full structural analysis, and ensure all documentation provided is consistent with other sections of the filing.

The notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that AT&T provide information to clarify or fulfill the deficiencies noted above on or before February 23, 2016.

This notice of incompleteness shall have the effect of tolling the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) 60-day timeframe in accordance with Paragraph 217 of the FCC Wireless Infrastructure Report and Order issued on October 21, 2014 (FCC 14-153).

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 860-827-2951.

Very truly yours,

Melanie Bachman
Acting Executive Director

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- c: The Honorable Katherine Pugliese, Chairman, Town of Plainville
Robert E. Lee, Town Manager, Town of Plainville
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